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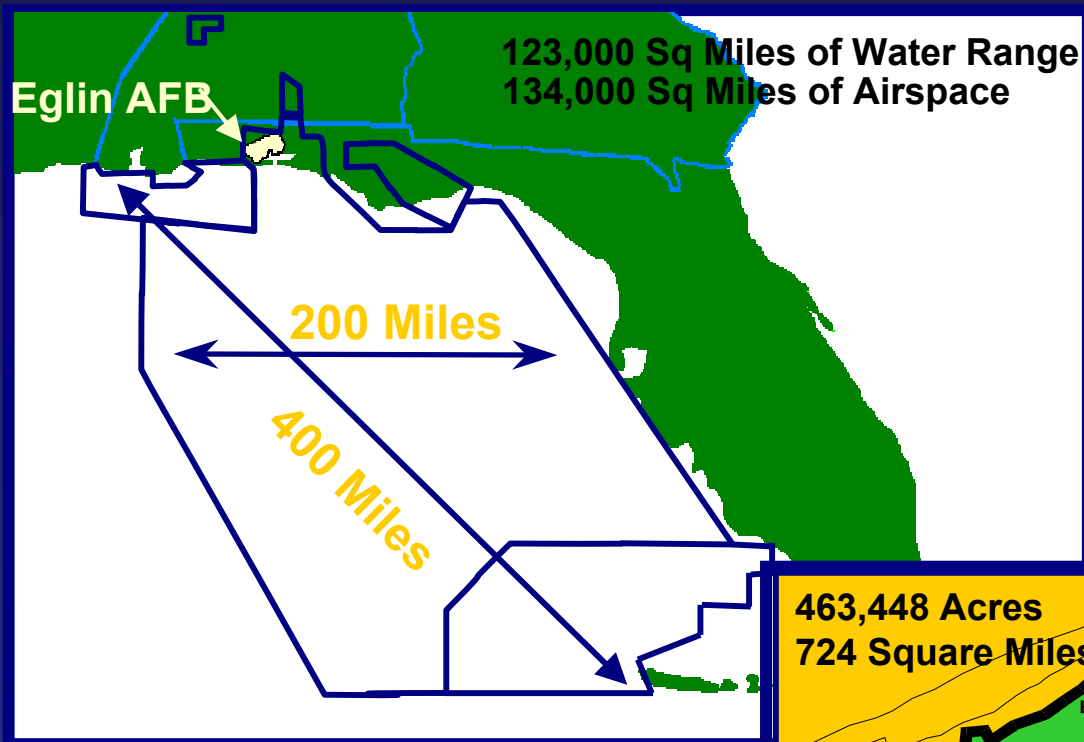
# **Impact of White Space on Military Operations**

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# Eglin's Land and Water Ranges

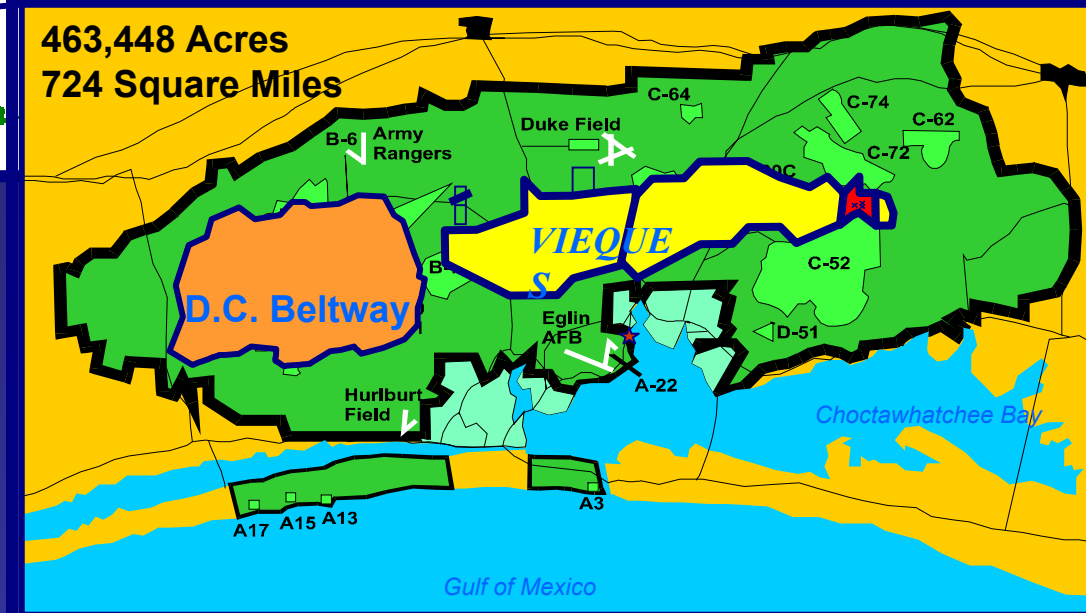


## Vision

A World Class Test and Training Complex that Enables Warfighters for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

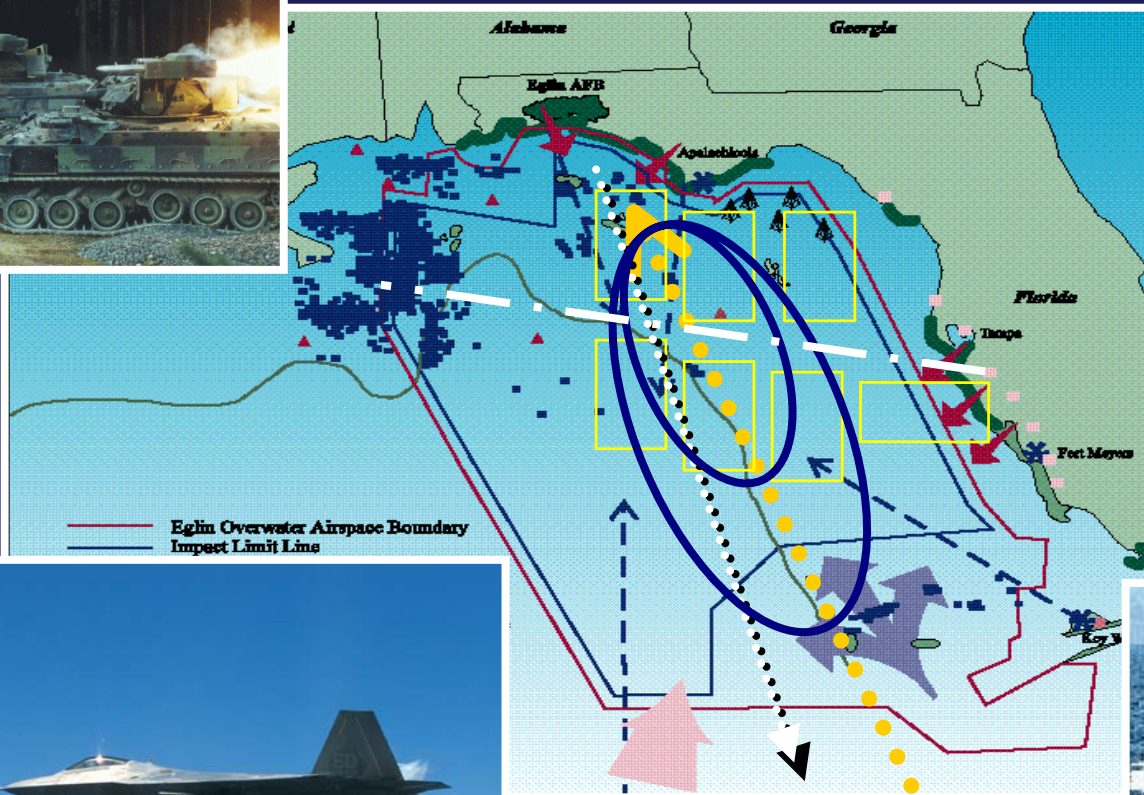
## Goals

- > Meet the Users' Needs
- > Joint Planning
- > Regional Perspective





# Expanding Mission Requirements



Future Use

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Space



Hypersonic



Directed Energy



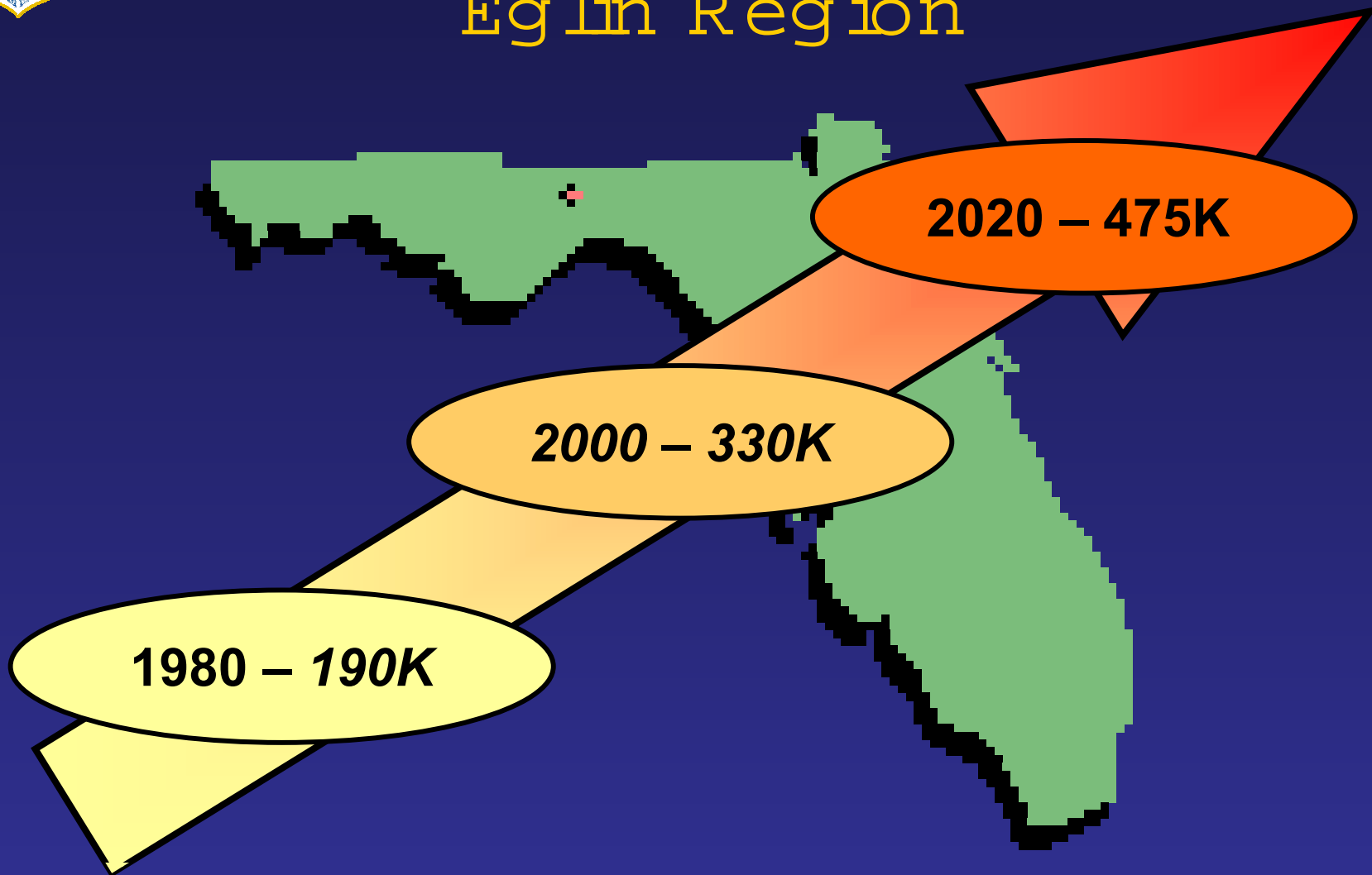
Joint Land and Water Training



Access between Installations and Land and Water Ranges Critical for Realistic Test and Training



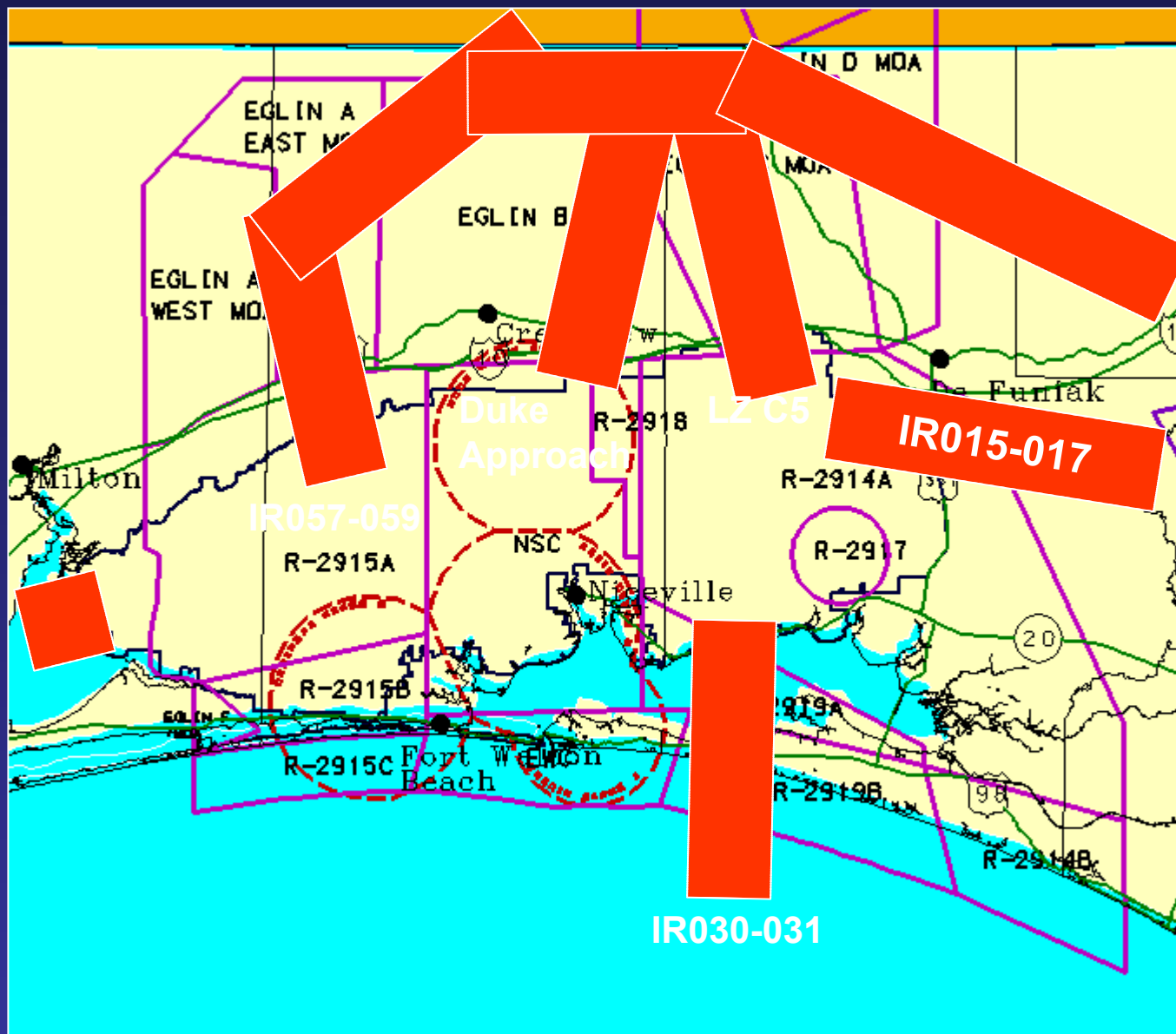
# Population Growth In Eglin Region



Demographics and Communities Changing

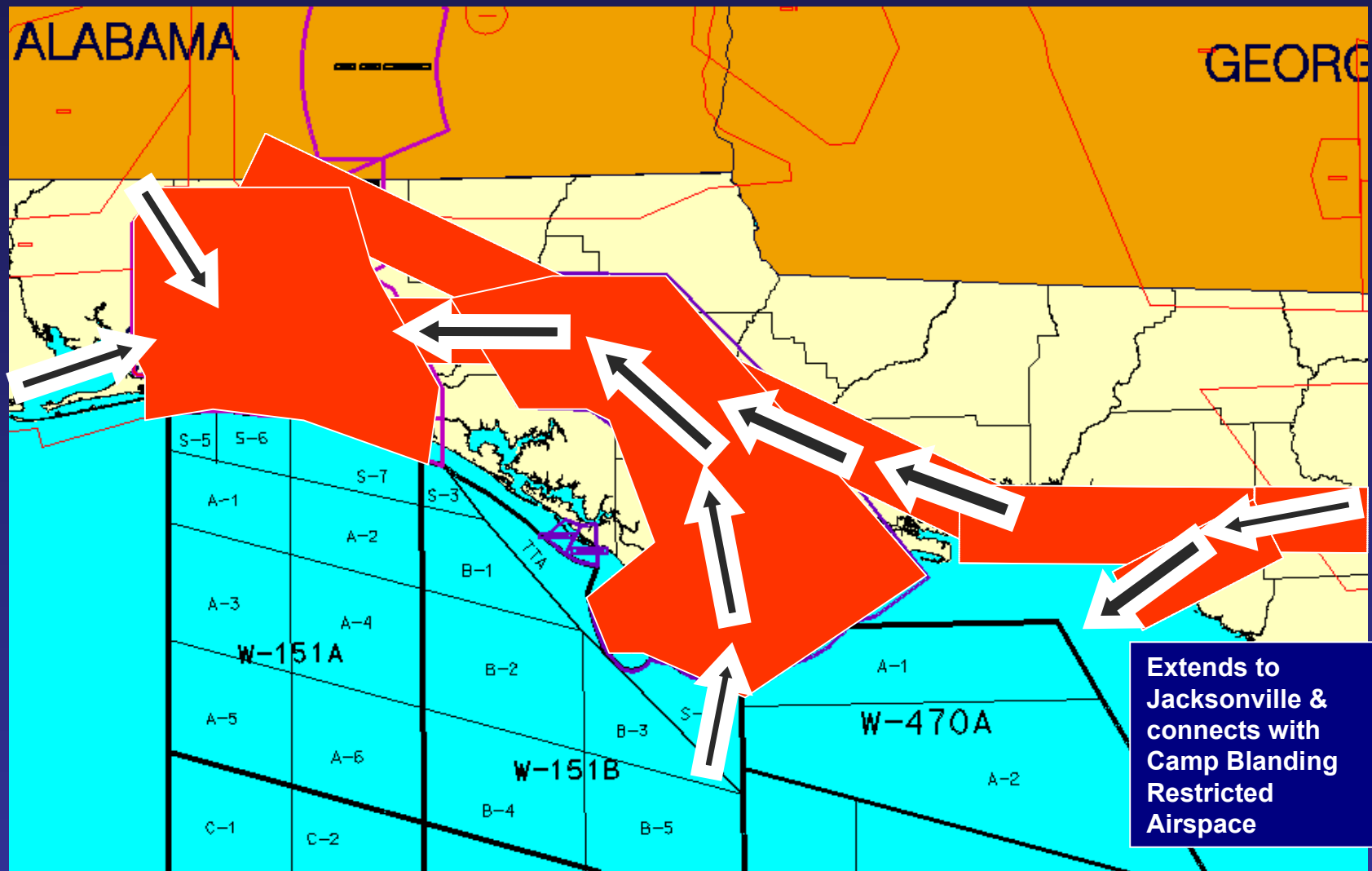


# Eglin Low Level Routes





# Joint Use Regional Airspace







# Buffer Land Initiatives



**Clear Creek**  
6,709 Acres

**Yellow River Ravine**

16,652 Acres

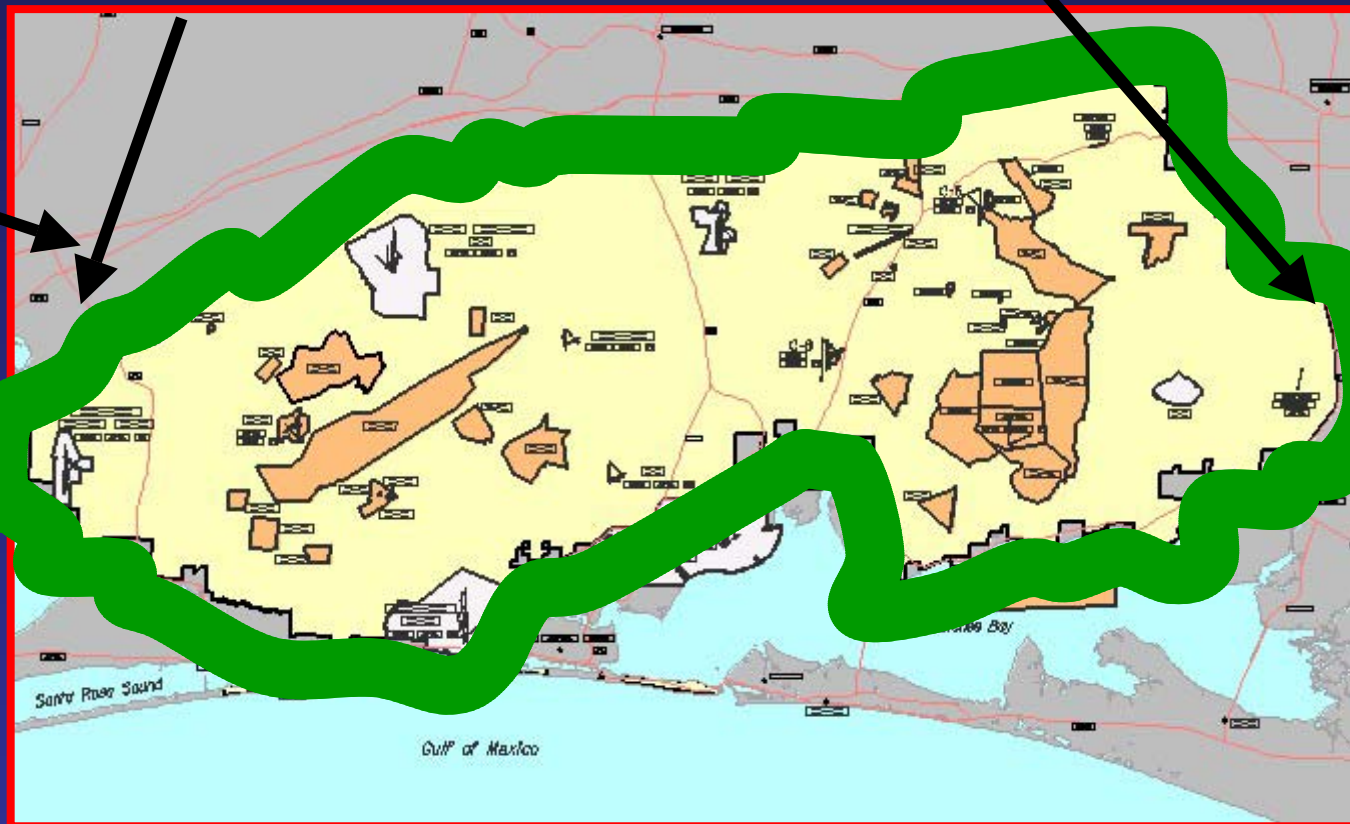
**NOKUSE Plantation**

20,000 Acres

**Escribano Point**

2,473 Acres

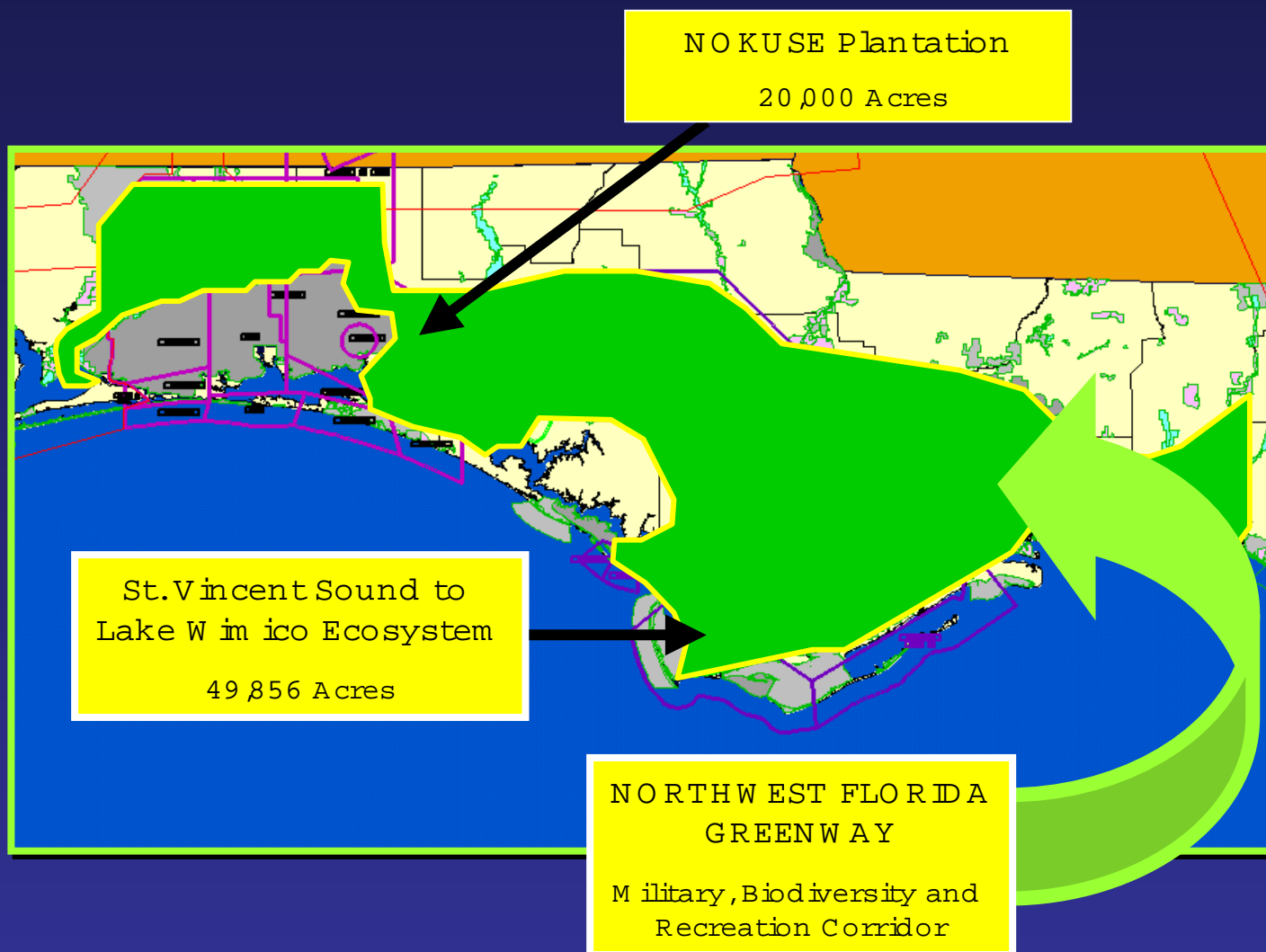
(1200 ACRES Purchased 2001)







# Northwest Florida Greenway





# Summary

- White Space issue Affects All Services Nationwide
- Proactive Planning and Execution Necessary